



CLEAN VERSION OF THE CLAIMS

31. A method for treating post-operative incisional wound pain comprising administering a therapeutically effective amount of a botulinum toxin to an afflicted area of a patient, thereby alleviating the post-operative incisional wound pain.

32. The method of claim 31, wherein the botulinum toxin is selected from the group consisting of the botulinum toxins types A, B, C, D, E, F and G.

33. The method of claim 31, wherein the botulinum toxin is botulinum toxin type A.

34. The method of claim 31, wherein the botulinum toxin is administered before, during or immediately after a surgery.

35. The method of claim 34, wherein the botulinum toxin is administered up to about 10 days before the surgery.

36. The method of claim 31, wherein the post-operative wound pain is not associated with a muscle disorder.

37. The method of claim 31, wherein the post-operative incisional wound pain is alleviated for about 2 to 6 months.

38. A method for treating post-operative incisional wound pain comprising administering a therapeutically effective amount of a botulinum toxin type A to an afflicted area of a patient before, during, or immediately after a surgery, thereby alleviating the post-operative incisional wound pain for about 2-6 months.